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MEDIA RELEASE

Incident Number: 15-0047073

Information Contact: Kris McDonald, Battalion Chief, 805-339-4300

Incident Type: Structure Fire

Date/Time of Incident: Thursday, July 16, 2015, 10:34 PM

Incident Location: 1900 block of Poli Street

Cause: Appliance Failure Injuries: None reported

Fire Equipment: 2 ALS Engine Companies, 1 ALS Truck Company, 1 Command

Total Fire Personnel: 11

Agencies Involved: Ventura City Fire Department, Ventura Police Department

Narrative: Ventura City Fire personnel responded to a reported structure fire. First arriving crews found a single story, single family residential structure charged with light smoke and occupants evacuating. Upon further investigation it was determined that a fire had started in a clothes dryer and had ignited adjacent combustible items in the laundry room. The fire was quickly extinguished, with no extension to other parts of the structure. The interior of the structure was thoroughly ventilated using smoke ejectors, and the family was once again able to reoccupy the residence upon completion of the incident. No injuries were reported at the time of this release.

